TECHNICAL NOTES

2003 Revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Death

In 2003, Idaho, Montana, California, New York State and New York City implemented the 2003 revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Death. Certificates for Idaho and these areas were revised to meet the U.S. standards for data collection for multiple races and ethnic origins. Data for education was changed from number of years of education to education level. In addition, data collection began for tobacco use contributing to death, pregnancy status of females of child-bearing age, and safety device(s) used for transportation-injury deaths. Data were collected for these variables for deaths occurring in Idaho and the four other areas. Single race and ethnicity designations were recorded for Idaho resident deaths which occurred in states with non-revised certificates. Data collected on the other new questions were recorded as "unknown" for resident deaths which occurred in the states with non-revised certificates.

2003 Revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth

The U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth was revised in 2003. In 2003, Pennsylvania and Washington were the first two states to implement the 2003 revision. The remaining 48 states and the District of Columbia collected and reported birth data based on the 1989 revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Live birth. In 2003, there were 399 births delivered in Washington to Idaho resident mothers and none in Pennsylvania. The state of Washington provided copies of the Idaho resident birth certificates to Idaho Vital Records for statistical purposes. However, data collected in Washington were not 100 percent comparable with data collected in Idaho and other states using the 1989 U.S. Standard Certificate. Because of the differences, Idaho Vital Records made modifications during data entry to make data collected by Washington comparable with data collected by Idaho. Among statistics provided in this annual report, modifications were made to mother's education, tobacco and alcohol use, onset of prenatal care, and APGAR scores.

Washington's certificate collected data for mother's education based on level of education, while Idaho collected data for number of years of school. Some levels of education have a direct association with years of school completed, such as "bachelor degree", which was recorded as "16 years". Education levels without a direct correlation with years of school, such as "9-12 years with no diploma" and "some college, no degree" were recorded as unknown. Mother's education was recorded as "unknown" for 38 percent of births to Idaho residents in Washington.

There are four questions for tobacco use on the certificate used by Washington in 2003. The new questions ask for average number of cigarettes smoked per day during the three months prior to pregnancy, first trimester of pregnancy, second trimester of pregnancy, and third trimester of pregnancy. Idaho certificate includes the question "was tobacco used during pregnancy" and "average number of cigarettes per day". For Washington certificates, if there were any number of cigarettes smoked during the first, second, or third trimester of pregnancy, then tobacco use was recorded as "yes". The number of cigarettes per day was recorded as the highest number of cigarettes listed for the three trimesters. If zero cigarettes were listed for the three trimesters, tobacco use was recorded as "no"; if the three items were left blank, tobacco use was recorded as "unknown".

Alcohol use and average number of drinks per week are not included on the 2003 U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth, and beginning in 2003, were no longer collected by Washington. Alcohol use and number of drinks for Idaho resident births in Washington were recorded as "unknown".

Beginning in 2003, the questions regarding prenatal care on Washington's certificate asked for date for first prenatal care visit, date for last prenatal care visit, and total number of visits. Idaho's certificate asks for month prenatal care began and number of visits. For Idaho resident births in Washington, if the number of visits was zero, then month prenatal care began was recorded as "none". Otherwise, month prenatal care began was recorded as "unknown".

On the 2003 Standard Certificate used by Washington, one-minute APGAR score is no longer included on the certificate. Five-minute APGAR remains on the 2003 version, and if five-minute score is less than six, then ten-minute APGAR is also recorded. For Idaho resident births in Washington, APGAR score at one minute was recorded as "unknown" and five-minute APGAR score was recorded as the APGAR score listed on the certificate.

On January 1, 2004, Idaho implemented the 2003 revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth. The 2004 Idaho Vital Statistics annual report will reflect the changes from using the 1989 revision to using the 2003 revision. Some states continued to use the 1989 revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate in 2004, and issues with comparable data will be addressed in the 2004 report.

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates Standardized to the Year 2000 U.S. Standard

Age adjustment is a statistical technique used to standardize rates. The technique is employed when comparing two or more populations with different age distributions. Age-adjusted rates are artificial measures for comparison purposes only and should not be used to measure the absolute magnitude of a health issue. To allow for comparison, the same standard population must be used. If different standard populations are used to compute the age-adjusted rates (1940 and 2000, for example), then the age-adjusted rates are NOT comparable. Statistically, it is a weighted average of the age-specific death rates, where the weights represent the fixed population proportions by age.

Beginning with data (calendar) year 1999, the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) implemented a new standard for age-adjusted death rates. The new standard is based on year 2000 U.S. population, and it replaces the existing 1940 standard million population that has been widely used for over 50 years. The reasons for changing to the year 2000 standard are two-fold. One, although the 1940 standard was widely used, at least three different standards have been employed by federal and state agencies. The use of a single age-adjustment standard by federal agencies will help alleviate confusion and misunderstanding among data users. Two, the 1940 standard has been perceived as outdated and incompatible with the current and older age structure of the population.¹

The change in the population standard from 1940 to the year 2000 affects the magnitude of the age-adjusted rates. Rates based on the year 2000 standard will be larger than rates based on

 "Age Standardization of Death Rates: Implementation of the Year 2000 Standard," <u>National Vital Statistics Reports</u>, National Center for Health Statistics, Vol. 47, Number 3, October 7, 1998.

the 1940 standard because the year 2000 standard gives more weight to death rates at the older age, where mortality is higher.

There are two methods for age-adjusting rates: direct and indirect. In this report, Idaho age-adjusted rates were developed using the following steps for the direct method:

1) Calculate **age-specific rates** for the 11 age groups used in the 2000 standard million: less than 1, 1-4, 5-14, 15-24, 25-34, 35-44, 45-54, 55-64, 65-74, 75-84, and 85 and older.

(Annual number of deaths in age group)
(Population of age group for corresponding year)

2) Calculate **expected number of deaths** for each age group.

(2000 U.S. standard million population of age group)*(Age-specific rate)

3) Calculate total expected number of deaths.

(Sum of expected deaths for all age groups)

4) Calculate age-adjusted rate per 100,000 persons.

(Total expected deaths)
(Standard million) *100,000

YEAR 2000 U.S. STANDARD POPULATION 1,000,000 All ages Under 1 year 13.818 55,317 1-4 years 5-14 years 145.565 138,646 15-24 years 25-34 years 135.573 35-44 years 162,613 45-54 years 134,834 55-64 years 87,247 65-74 years 66,037 75-84 years 44,842 85+ years 15,508

Cause-of-Death Classification

Mortality statistics are compiled in accordance with the World Health Organization (WHO) regulations, which specify that member nations, including the United States, classify and code causes of death in accordance with the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Heath Problems. The tenth revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10) was implemented in the United States beginning with deaths occurring in 1999 and replaces the ninth revision of the ICD (ICD-9), which was used from 1979 through 1998. Some changes from ICD-9 to ICD-10 include:

- 1. ICD-10 is far more detailed than ICD-9, with about 8,000 categories compared with 4,000 categories.
- 2. ICD-10 uses 4-digit alphanumeric codes, compared to 4-digit numeric codes in ICD-9.

- 3. Some cause-of-death titles have been changed, and conditions have been regrouped.
- 4. Some cause-of-death coding rules have been changed.

Comparability Ratio

The change from ICD-9 to ICD-10 may result in discontinuities in cause-of-death trends. These discontinuities are measured using comparability ratios. The National Center for Health Statistics developed comparability ratios to measure the level of agreement between classification systems for causes of death. Table 1 on pages 119-128 provides the List of 113 Selected Causes of Death used by NCHS to rank leading causes of deaths to persons aged 1 year and older. The cause-of-death ranking for infants is based on the categories in the List of 130 Selected Causes of Infant Death shown in Table 2 (pages 129-135). These lists include the title of the cause of death, ICD-10 code(s), the most comparable ICD-9 code(s), and the comparability ratio. Subcategories for some causes are also shown indented under the cause of death used to rank leading causes of death. These subcategories are not used to rank leading causes of death. In addition, category titles that begin with the words "other" and "all other" are not ranked to determine the leading causes of death.

The comparability ratio is the result of a study completed by the NCHS in which a sample of U.S. mortality records was coded by both the new (ICD-10) and the old revision (ICD-9) codes.

Comparability ratio: Number of deaths for a cause of death based on ICD-10 code(s)

Number of deaths for a cause of death based on the most comparable ICD-9 code(s)

A comparability ratio of 1.00 indicates that the same number of deaths was assigned to a particular cause whether ICD-9 or ICD-10 was used. A comparability ratio of less than 1.00 indicates fewer deaths would be coded to the cause of death using ICD-10 compared with ICD-9, solely because of the revision of the ICD. For example, a ratio of 0.83 indicates there were 17 percent fewer deaths (1.00-0.83) for this cause because of the code revision. A comparability ratio of more than 1.00 indicates more deaths occurred from this cause using ICD-10 compared with ICD-9, only because of the implementation of ICD-10. A ratio of 1.19 indicates 19 percent more deaths (absolute difference of 1.00-1.19) were attributed to the cause using ICD-10 than would have been using ICD-9.

Because ICD-10 is more detailed than ICD-9, and because of changes in the coding rules, the ICD-9 codes most comparable to ICD-10 codes may or may not be the ICD-9 codes used to categorize cause of death from 1979-1998. The ICD-9 codes most comparable to ICD-10 codes are called Modified ICD-9 codes. For example, from 1979-1998, the ICD-9 codes used for Diseases of the heart were 390-398, 402, and 404-429. To compare with ICD-10, the Modified ICD-9 codes for Diseases of the heart changed to 390-398, 402, 404, and 410-429. Other examples of causes of death that were modified are Major cardiovascular diseases, Ischemic heart disease, All other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease, Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke), Chronic lower respiratory diseases (formally called Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease), Other chronic lower respiratory diseases, and Accidents. For the complete list of Modified ICD-9 codes, refer to the List of 113 Selected Causes of Death in Table 1 in the Technical Notes of this report.

To show trends in data, NCHS has instructed states to treat ICD-10 as the standard and adjust statistics prior to 1999 using Modified ICD-9 codes and comparability ratios. **Therefore, mortality statistics provided in this report are NOT comparable to previously published**

mortality statistics based on ICD-9 codes. Idaho trend data using Modified ICD-9 codes and comparability ratios are available upon request.

For example, in 2003 there were 339 Idaho resident deaths from Influenza and pneumonia based on ICD-10 codes (J10-J18). In 1998, there were 374 deaths from Influenza and pneumonia, based on the ICD-9 codes (480-487). At first glance, one would conclude the number of Influenza and pneumonia deaths decreased 9.4 percent from 1998 to 2003. However, because of changes in coding rules for ICD, these two counts are not comparable. Beginning in 1999, a change in Rule 3, called the direct sequel rule, changed the way deaths are coded when pneumonia is listed as a condition leading to death. When pneumonia is listed on the death certificate with another cause of death, and it is obviously a direct consequence of that other cause, then the other cause is selected as the underlying cause of death. In ICD-10, this rule is applied more broadly than in ICD-9 and specifies many more causes for which pneumonia is considered a direct consequence. Thus, deaths classified as pneumonia in ICD-9 are classified in ICD-10 to many other causes.

The ICD-10 to ICD-9 comparability ratio for Influenza and pneumonia is 0.6974. In other words, the counts and rates for Influenza and pneumonia were expected to decrease 30 percent beginning in 1999 only because of the introduction of ICD-10. To compare the number of Influenza and pneumonia deaths in 1998 with the number of deaths in 2003, multiply 1998 data based on Modified ICD-9 codes by the comparability ratio.

| Number of deaths in 1998 based on Modified ICD-9 Codes (not comparable with 1999-2003 data) | Х | Comparability Ratio | II | Number of deaths in 1998, comparable with number of deaths each year from 1999-2003 (rounded) | Number of deaths in 2003 |
|---|---|------------------------|----|--|--------------------------|
| 374 | | 0.6974 | | 261 | 339 |

The number of influenza and pneumonia deaths increased 29.9 percent from 1998 to 2003.

Life Expectancy

Data used to calculate Idaho life expectancy are based on July 1, 2003, population estimates from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, age-specific population estimates computed by the Bureau of Health Policy and Vital Statistics, and 2001 Idaho resident mortality rates. Average number of years of life remaining ($^{\circ}e_{x}$) is the expectation of life for those who survived to age x.

$$^{\circ}e_{x} = T_{x} / I_{x}$$

 T_x is the total time lived beyond age x by all individuals of the life table proportion alive at age x; I_x is the number of persons who survive to the exact age marking the beginning of each age interval. The number alive at age 0 (I_0) is taken arbitrarily as 100,000.

Population by Race

The Office of Management and Budget announced revisions to the standards for classification of federal data on race and ethnicity on October 30, 1997. These standards require that agencies offer individuals the opportunity to select one or more races when reporting information on race in federal data collections. Census 2000 was the first nationwide implementation of the revised standards.

The files released from the U.S. Census Bureau contain data for single race categories (including "Other race" category) and multiple race categories. This presents problems for vital rates from two standpoints: first, the file contains counts of persons with more than one race and therefore, is not compatible with vital statistics numerators; second, the file contains the "Other race" category that is not used to calculate vital statistics rates.

NCHS contracted with the Census Bureau to produce a "bridged" data set in which all multiple race persons are allocated to a single race, to reproduce what these people would have reported had they not had the option to report more than one race. In August 2004, NCHS released state population estimates for July 1, 2003 and revised populations for July 1, 2001 and July 1 2002. These estimates are for the four race groups (White, Black, American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian or Pacific Islander (including Native Hawaiian)) by single year of age, sex, and Hispanic origin.

| Standard Race Categories April 1, 2000 Census for Idaho | | | | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|--|--|--|--|
| Race | Number | Percent | | | | |
| Total | 1,293,953 | 100.0% | | | | |
| White | 1,177,304 | 91.0% | | | | |
| Black | 5,456 | 0.4% | | | | |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native | 17,645 | 1.4% | | | | |
| Asian | 11,889 | 0.9% | | | | |
| Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 1,308 | 0.1% | | | | |
| Other race | 54,742 | 4.2% | | | | |
| Two or more races | 25,609 | 2.0% | | | | |

| Standard Race Categories Idaho Bridged Postcensal 2001, 2002 and 2003 Estimates | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|--|--|
| | July 1 | , 2001 | July 1, | 2002 | July 1 | , 2003 | | |
| Race | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | | |
| Total | 1,321,309 | 100.0% | 1,343,124 | 100.0% | 1,366,332 | 100.0% | | |
| White | 1,275,684 | 96.5% | 1,295,362 | 96.4% | 1,316,780 | 96.4% | | |
| Black | 8,287 | 0.6% | 9,051 | 0.7% | 9,764 | 0.7% | | |
| American Indian/ Alaskan Native | 20,987 | 1.6% | 21,388 | 1.6% | 21,760 | 1.6% | | |
| Asian/Pacific Islander | 16,351 | 1.2% | 17,323 | 1.3% | 18,028 | 1.3% | | |

Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL)

Years of potential life lost (YPLL) is a statistic used to measure the number of years of life lost in a population when persons in that population die prematurely. YPLL provides valuable information regarding the causes of death that contribute most significantly to premature mortality. For example, in 2003, Accidents was the fifth-leading cause of death of Idahoans and accounted for 5.8 percent of all resident deaths. However, Accidents was the second leading cause of premature death under age 75 and accounted for 19.2 percent of all YPLL in 2003.

In order to calculate YPLL, a standard must be chosen (e.g., age 75) as a reference point for years of life lost. The number of years of life lost is then calculated for each person dying before the standard age. Assume a standard of 75 years of age is chosen. For calculation purposes, all people are considered half way through the year of their age at death. For example, an infant who dies under one year of age is considered .5 years of age at death, and a child who dies at age one-between its first and second birthday - is considered 1.5 years of age, and so forth. Therefore, a person dying at 39 has lost 35.5 years of life relative to the standard (i.e., 75 years – 39.5 years = 35.5 years). To obtain YPLL, the number of years of life lost for each person in the population dying before the standard age is summed. Persons dying at 75 years of age or older would be excluded from the analysis, because they have not lost years of life relative to the standard. For this report, a standard of 75 years of age was chosen to calculate YPLL.

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|---|--|--|---|---|-----------------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | ICD-10 TO ICD-9 |
| # Salmonella infections | A01-A02 | | | 002-003 | 0.8966 |
| # Shigellosis and amebiasis | A03, A06 | # Shigellosis and amebiasis | 004, 006 | 004,006 | NA |
| Certain other intestinal infections | A04, A07-A09 | Certain other intestinal infections | 007-009 | 007-009 | 0.86 |
| # Tuberculosis | A16-A19 | # Tuberculosis | 010-018 | 010-018 | 0.8809 |
| - Respiratory tuberculosis | A16 | - Tuberculosis of respiratory system | 010-012 | 010-012 | 0.9397 |
| - Other tuberculosis | A17-A19 | - Other tuberculosis | 013-018 | 013-018 | 0.6955 |
| # Whooping cough | A37 | # Whooping cough | 033 | 033 | NA |
| # Scarlet fever and erysipelas | A38, A46 | # Streptococcal sore throat, scarlatina, and erysipelas | 034-035 | 034.1-035 | NA |
| # Meningococcal infection | A39 | # Meningococcal infection | 036 | 036 | 0.9896 |
| # Septicemia | A40-A41 | # Septicemia | 038 | 038 | 1.1900 |
| # Syphilis | A50-A53 | # Syphilis | 090-097 | 090-097 | 0.7808 |
| # Acute poliomyelitis | A80 | # Acute poliomyelitis | 045 | 045 | NA |
| # Arthropod-borne viral encephalitis | A83-A84, A85.2 | | | 062-064 | NA |
| # Measles | B05 | # Measles | 055 | 055 | NA |
| # Viral hepatitis | B15-B19 | # Viral hepatitis | 070 | 070 | 0.7145 |
| # Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease | B20-B24 | # Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection | 042-044 | 042-044 | 1.0821 |
| # Malaria | B50-B54 | | | 084 | NA |
| Other and unspecified infectious and parasitic diseases and their sequelae | A00, A05, A20-A36, A42-A44, A48-A49, A54-A79, A81-A82, A85.0-A85.1, A85.8, A86-B04, B06-B09, B25-B49, B55-B99 | All other infectious and parasitic diseases | 001-003, 005, 020- 032, 037, 039-041, 046-054, 056-066, 071-088, 098-139 | 001, 005, 020-032 037, 039-041, 046- 054, 056-061, 065- 066, 071-083, 085- 088, 098-134, 136- 139, 771.3 | 0.9105 |

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| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | RATIO ICD-10 to ICD-9 |
| # Malignant neoplasms | C00-C97 | # Malignant neoplasms, including neo- plasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues | 140-208 | 140-208 | 1.0093 |
| Malignant neoplasms of lip, oral cavity and pharynx | C00-C14 | Malignant neoplasms of lip, oral cavity and pharynx | 140-149 | 140-149 | 0.9597 |
| | | Malignant neoplasms of digestive organs and peritoneum | 150-159 | NA | NA |
| - Malignant neoplasm of esophagus | C15 | | | 150 | 0.9946 |
| - Malignant neoplasm of stomach | C16 | | | 151 | 1.0070 |
| Malignant neoplasms of colon, rectum and anus | C18-C21 | | | 153-154 | 0.9988 |
| Malignant neoplasms of liver and intrahepatic bile ducts | C22 | | | 155 | 0.9640 |
| - Malignant neoplasm of pancreas | C25 | | | 157 | 0.9971 |
| | | Malignant neoplasms of respiratory and intrathoracic organs | 160-165 | NA | NA |
| - Malignant neoplasm of larynx | C32 | | | 161 | 1.0051 |
| Malignant neoplasms of trachea, bronchus and lung | C33-C34 | | | 162 | 0.9844 |
| - Malignant melanoma of skin | C43 | | | 172 | 0.9494 |
| - Malignant neoplasm of breast | C50 | - Malignant neoplasm of breast | 174-175 | 174-175 | 1.0073 |
| | | - Malignant neoplasms of genital organs | 179-187 | NA | NA |
| - Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri | C53 | | | 180 | 0.9963 |
| Malignant neoplasms of corpus uteri and uterus, part unspecified | C54-C55 | | | 179, 182 | 1.0242 |
| - Malignant neoplasm of ovary | C56 | | | 183.0 | 0.9938 |

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| - Malignant neoplasm of prostate | C61 | | | 185 | 1.0144 |
| | | - Malignant neoplasms of urinary organs | 188-189 | NA | NA |
| Malignant neoplasms of kidney and renal pelvis | C64-C65 | | | 189.0, 189.1 | 0.9964 |
| - Malignant neoplasm of bladder | C67 | | | 188 | 0.9951 |
| | | Malignant neoplasms of all other and unspecified sites | 170-173, 190-199 | NA | NA |
| Malignant neoplasms of meninges, brain and other parts of central nervous system | C70-C72 | | | 191-192 | 0.9774 |
| - Malignant neoplasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue | C81-C96 | | | 200-208 | 1.0044 |
| Hodgkin's disease | C81 | | | 201 | 1.0028 |
| Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma | C82-C85 | | | 200, 202 | 0.9787 |
| - Leukemia | C91-C95 | - Leukemia | 204-208 | 204-208 | 1.0104 |
| | | Other malignant neoplasms of lymphatic and hematopoietic tissues | 200-203 | NA | NA |
| - Multiple myeloma and immuno- proliferative neoplasms | C88, C90 | | | 203 | 1.0432 |
| Other and unspecified malignant neo- plasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue | C96 | | | NA | NA |
| - All other and unspecified malignant neoplasms | C17, C23-C24, C26- C31, C37-C41, C44- C49, C51-C52, C57- C60, C62-C63, C66, C68-C69, C73-C80, C97 | | | 152, 156, 158-160, 163-171, 173, 181, 183.2-184, 186-187, 189.2-190, 193-199 | 1.1377 |

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|---|----------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
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| # In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior | D00-D48 | # Benign neoplasms, carcinoma in situ, and neoplasms of uncertain behavior and of unspecified nature | 210-239 | 210-239 | 1.6315 |
| # Anemias | D50-D64 | # Anemias | 280-285 | 280-285 | 0.9430 |
| # Diabetes mellitus | E10-E14 | # Diabetes mellitus | 250 | 250 | 1.0193 |
| # Nutritional deficiencies | E40-E64 | # Nutritional deficiencies | 260-269 | 260-269 | 1.0438 |
| - Malnutrition | E40-E46 | | | 260-263 | 1.0080 |
| - Other nutritional deficiencies | E50-E64 | | | 264-269 | 1.7778 |
| # Meningitis | G00, G03 | # Meningitis | 320-322 | 320-322 | 1.0121 |
| # Parkinson's disease | G20-G21 | | | 332 | 1.0101 |
| # Alzheimer's disease | G30 | # Alzheimer's disease | 331.0 | 331.0 | 1.5812 |
| Major cardiovascular diseases | 100-178 | Major cardiovascular diseases | 390-448 | 390-434, 436-448 | 0.9963 |
| - # Diseases of heart | 100-109, 111, 113, 120-151 | - # Diseases of heart | 390-398, 402, 404- 429 | 390-398, 402, 404, 410-429 | 0.9852 |
| Acute rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart disease | 100-109 | Rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease | 390-398 | 390-398 | 0.8816 |
| Hypertensive heart disease | l11 | Hypertensive heart disease | 402 | 402 | 0.7985 |
| Hypertensive heart and renal disease | l13 | Hypertensive heart and renal disease | 404 | 404 | 1.1269 |
| Ischemic heart diseases | 120-125 | Ischemic heart diseases | 410-414 | 410-414, 429.2 | 1.0006 |
| Acute myocardial infarction | l21-l22 | Acute myocardial infarction | 410 | 410 | 0.9856 |
| Other acute ischemic heart diseases | 124 | Other acute and subacute forms of ischemic heart disease | 411 | 411 | 1.0723 |
| | | Angina pectoris | 413 | NA | NA |
| Other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease | 120, 125 | | | 412-414, 429.2 | 1.0098 |

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|---|---|---|------------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | ICD-10 to ICD-9 |
| Atherosclerotic cardiovas- cular disease, so described | 125.0 | | | 429.2 | 1.0599 |
| All other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease | 120, 125.1-125.9 | Old myocardial infarction and other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease | 412, 414 | 412-414 | 0.9966 |
| - Other heart diseases | 126-151 | | | 415-429.1, 429.3-429.9 | 0.9634 |
| Acute and subacute endocarditis | 133 | | | 421 | 1.0310 |
| Diseases of pericardium and acute myocarditis | I30-I31, I40 | | | 420, 422-423 | 1.0504 |
| Heart failure | 150 | | | 428 | 1.0388 |
| | | Other diseases of endocardium | 424 | NA | NA |
| All other forms of heart disease | 126-128, 134-138, 142- 149, 151 | All other forms of heart disease | 415-423, 425-429 | 415-417, 424-427, 429.0-429.1, 429.3- 429.9 | 0.9288 |
| - # Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease | I10, I12 | - # Hypertension with or without renal disease | 401, 403 | 401, 403 | 1.1162 |
| - # Cerebrovascular diseases | 160-169 | - # Cerebrovascular diseases | 430-438 | 430-434, 436-438 | 1.0502 |
| | | Intracerebral and other intracranial hemorrhage | 431-432 | NA | NA |
| | | Cerebral thrombosis and unspecified occlusion of cerebral arteries | 434.0, 434.9 | NA | NA |
| | | Cerebral embolism | 434.1 | NA | NA |
| | | All other and late effects of cere- brovascular diseases | 430, 433, 435-438 | NA | NA |
| - # Atherosclerosis | 170 | - # Atherosclerosis | 440 | 440 | 0.9658 |
| - Other diseases of circulatory system | l71-l78 | Other diseases of arteries, arterioles, and capillaries | 441-448 | 441-448 | 0.9409 |

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|---|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | ICD-10 to |
| Aortic aneurysm and dissection | 171 | | | 441 | 1.0006 |
| Other diseases of arteries, arterioles and capillaries | 172-178 | | | 442-448 | 0.8499 |
| Other disorders of circulatory system | 180-199 | | | 451-459 | 0.9758 |
| # Influenza and pneumonia | J10-J18 | # Pneumonia and influenza | 480-487 | 480-487 | 0.6974 |
| - Influenza | J10-J11 | - Influenza | 487 | 487 | 1.0000 |
| - Pneumonia | J12-J18 | - Pneumonia | 480-486 | 480-486 | 0.6947 |
| Other acute lower respiratory infections | J20-J22 | | | 466 | 0.9726 |
| - Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis | J20-J21 | # Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis | 466 | 466 | 0.7215 |
| Unspecified acute lower respiratory infection | J22 | | | NA | NA |
| # Chronic lower respiratory diseases | J40-J47 | # Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions (COPD) | 490-496 | 490-494, 496 | 1.0411 |
| - Bronchitis, chronic and unspecified | J40-J42 | - Bronchitis, chronic and unspecified | 490-491 | 490-491 | 0.3860 |
| - Emphysema | J43 | - Emphysema | 492 | 492 | 0.9617 |
| - Asthma | J45-J46 | - Asthma | 493 | 493 | 0.8855 |
| Other chronic lower respiratory diseases | J44, J47 | Other chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases and allied conditions | 494-496 | 494, 496 | 1.0951 |
| # Pneumoconioses and chemical effects | J60-J66, J68 | | | 500-506 | 1.0167 |
| # Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids | J69 | | | 507 | 1.1046 |
| Other diseases of respiratory system | J00-J06, J30-J39, J67, J70-J98 | | | 034.0, 460-465, 470- 478, 495, 508-519 | 1.1104 |
| # Peptic ulcer | K25-K28 | # Ulcer of stomach and duodenum | 531-533 | 531-534 | 0.9711 |
| # Diseases of appendix | K35-K38 | # Appendicitis | 540-543 | 540-543 | 0.9739 |

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|---|------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|-----------|-----------------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | ICD-10 to | |
| # Hernia | K40-K46 | # Hernia of abdominal cavity and intestinal obstruction | | 550-553 | 1.0122 | |
| # Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis | K70, K73-K74 | # Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis | | 571 | 1.0321 | |
| - Alcoholic liver disease | K70 | | | 571.0-571.3 | 1.0008 | |
| - Other chronic liver disease and cirrhosis | K73-K74 | | | 571.4-571.9 | 1.0612 | |
| # Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gall- bladder | K80-K82 | # Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gall- bladder | 574-575 | 574-575 | 0.9609 | |
| # Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis | N00-N07, N17-N19, N25-N27 | # Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis | 580-589 | 580-589 | 1.2555 | |
| Acute and rapidly progressive nephritic and nephrotic syndrome | N00-N01, N04 | Acute glomerulonephritis and nephrotic syndrome | 580-581 | 580-581 | 0.6500 | |
| Chronic glomerulonephritis, nephritis and nephritis not specified as acute or chronic, and renal sclerosis, unspecified | N02-N03, N05-N07, N26 | Chronic glomerulonephritis, nephritis and nephropathy, not specified as acute or chronic, and renal sclerosis, unspecified | 582-583, 587 | 582-583, 587 | 0.4113 | |
| | | Renal failure, disorders resulting from impaired renal function, and small kidney of unknown cause | 584-586, 588-589 | NA | NA | |
| - Renal failure | N17-N19 | | | 584-586 | 1.3268 | |
| - Other disorders of kidney | N25, N27 | | | 588-589 | 0.8571 | |
| # Infections of kidney | N10-N12, N13.6, N15.1 | # Infections of kidney | 590 | 590 | 1.0226 | |
| # Hyperplasia of prostate | N40 | # Hyperplasia of prostate | 600 | 600 | 1.0154 | |
| # Inflammatory diseases of female pelvic organs | N70-N76 | | | 614-616 | 0.8929 | |
| # Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium | O00-O99 | # Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium | | 630-676 | 1.1404 | |
| - Pregnancy with abortive outcome | O00-O07 | - Pregnancy with abortive outcome | 630-638 | 630-639 | 1.0513 | |

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|---|------------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | RATIO ICD-10 to ICD-9 |
| Other complications of pregnancy, child- birth and the puerperium | O10-O99 | Other complications of pregnancy, child- birth and the puerperium | 640-676 | 640-676 | 1.1545 |
| # Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period | P00-P96 | # Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period | 760-779 | 760-771.2, 771.4-779 | 1.0756 |
| | | Birth trauma, intrauterine hypoxia, birth asphyxia, and respiratory distress syndrome Other conditions originating in the perinatal period | 767-769 760-766, 770-779 | NA NA | NA NA |
| # Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities | Q00-Q99 | # Congenital anomalies | 740-759 | 740-759 | 0.8956 |
| Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified | R00-R99 | Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions | 780-799 | 780-799 | 0.9753 |
| All other diseases (residual) | See footnote 3 | All other diseases (residual) | | See footnote 4 | 0.9139 |
| # Accidents (unintentional injuries) | V01-X59, Y85-Y86 | # Accidents and adverse effects | E800-E949 | E800-E869, E880-E929 | 1.0251 |
| - Transport accidents | V01-V99, Y85 | | | E800-E848, E929.0, E929.1 | 0.9942 |
| Motor vehicle accidents ² | See footnote 5 | - Motor vehicle accidents | E810-E825 | E810-E825 | 0.9527 |
| | | - All other accidents and adverse effects | E800-E807, E826- E949 | NA | NA |

- 1. Comparability ratios published May 3, 2004.
- 2. Comparability ratio for cause of death changed since preliminary comparability ratios were released.
- 3. ICD-10 codes for all other diseases (residual): D65-E07, E15-E34, E65-F99, G04-G12, G23-G25, G31-H93, K00-K22, K29-K31, K50-K66, K71-K72, K75-K76, K83-M99, N13.0-N13.5, N13.7- N13.9, N14, N15.0, N15.8-N15.9, N20-N23, N28-N39, N41-B362N64, N80-N98.
- 4. Modified ICD-9 codes for all other diseases (residual): 135, 240-246, 251-259, 270-279, 286-319, 323-330, 331.1-331.9, 333-389, 435, 520-530, 535-537, 555-570, 572-573, 576-579, 591-599, 601-611, 617-629, 680-739.
- 5. ICD-10 codes for motor vehicle accidents: V02-V04, V09.0, V09.2, V12-V14, V19.0-V19.2, V19.4-V19.6, V20- V79, V80.3-V80.5, V81.0-V81.1, V82.0-V82.1, V83-V86, V87.0- V87.8, V88.0-V88.8, V89.0, V89.2.
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| Other land transport accidents | See footnote 2 | | | E800-E807,E826-E829 | 3.5802 |
| Water, air and space, and other and unspecified transport accidents and their sequelae | V90-V99, Y85 | | | E830-E848, E929.0, E929.1 | 0.9510 |
| - Nontransport accidents | W00-X59, Y86 | | | E850-E869, E880- E928, E929.2-E929.9 | 1.0602 |
| Falls | W00-W19 | | | E880-E888 | 0.7720 |
| Accidental discharge of firearms | W32-W34 | | | E922 | 1.0165 |
| Accidental drowning and submersion | W65-W74 | | | E910 | 1.0297 |
| Accidental exposure to smoke, fire and flames | X00-X09 | | | E890-E899 | 0.9995 |
| Accidental poisoning and exposure to noxious substances | X40-X49 | | | E850-E869, E924.1 | 1.0356 |
| Other and unspecified nontransport accidents and their sequelae | W20-W31, W35-W64, W75-W99, X10- X39, X50-X59, Y86 | | | E900-E909, E911-E921, E923-E924.0, E924.8- E928, E929.2-E929.9 | 1.4923 |
| # Intentional self-harm (suicide) ³ | U03, X60-X84, Y87.0 | # Suicide | E950-E959 | E950-E959 | 1.0022 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide) by discharge of firearms | X72-X74 | | | E955.0-E955.4 | 1.0012 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelae⁴ | U03, X60-X71, X75- X84, Y87.0 | | | E950-E954, E955.5- E959 | 1.0038 |
| # Assault (homicide) ⁴ | U01-U02, X85-Y09, Y87.1 | # Homicide and legal intervention | E960-E978 | E960-E969 | 1.0020 |

- 1. Comparability ratios published May 3, 2004.
- 2. ICD-10 codes for other land transport accidents: V01, V05-V06, V09.1, V09.3-V09.9, V10-V11, V15-V18, V19.3, V19.8-V19.9, V80.0-V80.2, V80.6-V80.9, V81.2-V81.9, V82.2-V82.9, V87.9, V88.9, V89.1, V89.3, V89.9.
- 3. ICD-10 codes U01-U03 are codes for Terrorism deaths beginning in data year 2001.
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|---|---|--|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Cause of Death | ICD-10 Codes | Cause of Death | ICD-9 Codes Used From 1979-1998 | Modified ICD-9 Codes | RATIO ICD-10 to ICD-9 |
| - Assault (homicide) by discharge of firearms ² | U01.4, X93-X95 | | | E965.0-E965.4 | 1.0019 |
| - Assault (homicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelae ² | U01.0-U01.3, U01.5- U01.9, U02, X85-X92, X96-Y09, Y87.1 | | | E960-E964, E965.5- E969 | 1.0022 |
| # Legal intervention | Y35, Y89.0 | | | E970-E978 | 0.9360 |
| Events of undetermined intent | Y10-Y34, Y87.2, Y89.9 | All other external causes | E980-E999 | E980-E989 | 0.9867 |
| - Discharge of firearms, undetermined intent | Y22-Y24 | | | E985.0-E985.4 | 1.0000 |
| Other and unspecified events of un- determined intent and their sequelae | Y10-Y21, Y25-Y34, Y87.2, Y89.9 | | | E980-E984, E985.5- E989 | 0.9855 |
| # Operations of war and their sequelae | Y36, Y89.1 | | | E990-E999 | NA |
| # Complications of medical and surgical care | Y40-Y84, Y88 | | | E870-E879, E930-E949 | 0.6304 |

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|---|--|---|--------------------------|
| Certain infectious and parasitic diseases | A00-B99 | 001-033, 034.1-134, 136-139, 771.3 | 0.7174 |
| - Certain intestinal infectious diseases | A00-A08 | 001-008 | NA |
| - # Diarrhea and gastroenteritis of infectious origin | A09 | 009 | NA |
| - # Tuberculosis | A16-A19 | 010-018 | NA |
| - # Tetanus | A33, A35 | 037, 771.3 | NA |
| - # Diphtheria | A36 | 032 | NA |
| - # Whooping cough | A37 | 033 | NA |
| - # Meningococcal infection | A39 | 036 | 0.9730 |
| - # Septicemia | A40-A41 | 038 | 1.2071 |
| - # Congenital syphilis | A50 | 090 | NA |
| - # Gonococcal infection | A54 | 098 | NA |
| - Viral diseases | A80-B34 | 042-079 | 1.0787 |
| # Acute poliomyelitis | A80 | 045 | NA |
| # Varicella (chickenpox) | B01 | 052 | NA |
| # Measles | B05 | 055 | NA |
| # Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease | B20-B24 | 042-044 | 0.9737 |
| # Mumps | B26 | 072 | NA |
| Other and unspecified viral diseases | A81-B00, B02-B04, B06-B19, B25, B27-B34 | 046-051, 053-054, 056-071, 073-079 | 1.1325 |
| - # Candidiasis | B37 | 112 | 0.6875 |
| - # Malaria | B50-B54 | 084 | NA |
| - # Pneumocystosis | B59 | 136.3 | NA |
| - All other and unspecified infectious and parasitic diseases | A20-A32, A38, A42-A49, A51-A53, A55-A79, B35-B36, B38-B49, B55- B58, B60-B99 | 020-031, 034.1-035, 039-041, 080- 083, 085-088, 091-097, 099-111, 114-134, 136.0-136.2, 136.4-139 | 0.5000 |

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|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| Neoplasms | C00-D48 | 140-239 | 1.0205 |
| - # Malignant neoplasms | C00-C97 | 140-208 | 1.0814 |
| Hodgkin's disease and non-Hodgkin's lymphomas | C81-C85 | 200-202 | NA |
| Leukemia | C91-C95 | 204-208 | 1.0313 |
| Other and unspecified malignant neoplasms | C00-C80, C88-C90, C96-C97 | 140-199, 203 | 1.0943 |
| - # In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior | D00-D48 | 210-239 | 0.9333 |
| # Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism | D50-D89 | 135, 279-289 | 0.8857 |
| - Anemias | D50-D64 | 280-285 | 0.5333 |
| - Other diseases of blood and blood-forming organs | D65-D76 | 286-289 | 1.0208 |
| - Certain disorders involving the immune mechanism | D80-D89 | 135, 279 | 1.0370 |
| Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases | E00-E88 | 240-278 | 0.9148 |
| - # Short stature, not elsewhere classified | E34.3 | 259.4 | 0.6333 |
| - # Malnutrition and other nutritional deficiencies | E40-E64 | 260-269 | 0.7273 |
| - # Cystic fibrosis | E84 | 277.0 | 1.1429 |
| - # Volume depletion, disorders of fluid, electrolyte and acid- # base balance | E86-E87 | 276 | 0.7126 |
| - All other endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases | E00-E32, E34.0-E34.2, E34.4-E34.9, E65-E83, E85, E88 | 240-259.3, 259.8-259.9, 270-275, 277.1-278 | 1.1111 |
| Diseases of the nervous system | G00-G98 | 320-359, 435 | 1.0287 |
| - # Meningitis | G00, G03 | 320-322 | 1.0400 |
| - # Infantile spinal muscular atrophy, type I (Werdnig- # Hoffman) | G12.0 | 335.0 | 1.0000 |
| - # Infantile cerebral palsy | G80 | 343 | NA |
| - # Anoxic brain damage, not elsewhere classified | G93.1 | 348.1 | 0.8542 |
| - Other diseases of nervous system | G04, G06-G11, G12.1-G12.9, G20- G72, G81-G92, G93.0, G93.2-G93.9, G95-G98 | 323-334, 335.1-342, 344-348.0, 348.2- 359, 435 | 1.1045 |
| # Diseases of the ear and mastoid process | H60-H93 | 380-389 | NA |

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|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| # Diseases of the circulatory system | 100-199 | 390-434, 436-459 | 0.6595 |
| - Pulmonary heart disease and diseases of pulmonary circulation | 126-128 | 415-417 | 0.8265 |
| - Pericarditis, endocarditis and myocarditis | 130, 133, 140 | 420-422 | NA |
| - Cardiomyopathy | 142 | 425 | 0.9370 |
| - Cardiac arrest | 146 | 427.5 | 0.4146 |
| - Cerebrovascular diseases | 160-169 | 430-434, 436-438 | 0.3593 |
| - All other diseases of circulatory system | 100-125, 131, 134-138, 144-145, 147-151, 170-199 | 390-414, 423-424, 426-427.4, 427.6- 429, 440-459 | 0.7650 |
| Disease of the respiratory system | J00-J98 | 034.0, 460-519 | 0.7922 |
| - # Acute upper respiratory infections | J00-J06 | 034.0, 460-465 | NA |
| - Influenza and pneumonia | J10-J18 | 480-487 | 0.7261 |
| Influenza | J10-J11 | 487 | NA |
| Pneumonia | J12-J18 | 480-486 | 0.7236 |
| - # Acute bronchitis and acute bronchiolitis | J20-J21 | 466 | 0.8852 |
| - # Bronchitis, chronic and unspecified | J40-J42 | 490-491 | 0.8148 |
| - # Asthma | J45-J46 | 493 | NA |
| - # Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids | J69 | 507 | NA |
| - Other and unspecified diseases of respiratory system | J22, J30-J39, J43-J44, J47-J68, J70-J98 | 470-479, 492, 494-506, 508-519 | 0.9079 |
| Diseases of the digestive system | K00-K92 | 520-579 | 1.4109 |
| - # Gastritis, duodenitis, and noninfective enteritis and colitis | K29, K50-K55 | 535, 555-558 | 2.6538 |
| - # Hernia of abdominal cavity and intestinal obstruction without hernia | K40-K46, K56 | 550-553, 560 | 1.2174 |
| - All other and unspecified diseases of digestive system | K00-K28, K30-K38, K57-K92 | 520-534, 536-543, 562-579 | 0.9950 |
| Diseases of the genitourinary system | N00-N95 | 580-629 | 0.9883 |
| - # Renal failure and other disorders of kidney | N17-N19, N25, N27 | 584-589 | 1.0519 |
| - Other and unspecified diseases of genitourinary system | N00-N15, N20-N23, N26, N28-N95 | 580-583, 590-629 | 0.7500 |
| Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period | P00-P96 | 760-771.2, 771.4-779 | 1.0732 |

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| Newborn affected by maternal factors and by complications of pregnancy, labor and delivery | P00-P04 | 760-763 | 1.0397 |
| - # Newborn affected by maternal hypertensive disorders | P00.0 | 760.0 | 1.0444 |
| - # Newborn affected by other maternal conditions which may be unrelated to present pregnancy | P00.1-P00.9 | 760.1-760.6, 760.8-760.9 | 0.8667 |
| - # Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy | P01 | 761 | 1.0515 |
| Newborn affected by incompetent cervix | P01.0 | 761.0 | 1.0444 |
| Newborn affected by premature rupture of membranes | P01.1 | 761.1 | 1.0363 |
| Newborn affected by multiple pregnancy | P01.5 | 761.5 | 0.9519 |
| Newborn affected by other maternal complications of pregnancy | P01.2-P01.4, P01.6-P01.9 | 761.2-761.4, 761.6-761.9 | 1.3220 |
| - # Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes membranes | P02 | 762 | 1.0223 |
| Newborn affected by complications involving placenta | P02.0-P02.3 | 762.0-762.3 | 1.0206 |
| Newborn affected by complications involving cord | P02.4-P02.6 | 762.4-762.6 | 1.1207 |
| Newborn affected by chorioamnionitis | P02.7 | 762.7 | 1.0115 |
| Newborn affected by other and unspecified abnormalities of membranes | P02.8-P02.9 | 762.8-762.9 | NA |
| - # Newborn affected by other complications of labor and delivery | P03 | 763.0-763.4, 763.6-763.9 | 1.3718 |
| - # Newborn affected by noxious influences transmitted via placenta or breast milk | P04 | 760.7, 763.5 | 0.7736 |
| - Disorders related to length of gestation and fetal malnutrition | P05-P08 | 764-766 | 1.1106 |
| # Slow fetal growth and fetal malnutrition | P05 | 764 | 1.3182 |
| # Disorders related to short gestation and low birth weight, not elsewhere classified | P07 | 765 | 1.1082 |
| Extremely low birth weight or extreme immaturity | P07.0, P07.2 | 765.0 | 1.1037 |
| Other low birth weight or preterm | P07.1, P07.3 | 765.1 | 1.1217 |
| # Disorders related to long gestation and high birth weight | P08 | 766 | NA |

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| - # Birth trauma | P10-P15 | 767 | 0.8589 |
| - # Intrauterine hypoxia and birth asphyxia | P20-P21 | 768 | 1.3239 |
| Intrauterine hypoxia | P20 | 768.2-768.4 | 0.8545 |
| Birth asphyxia | P21 | 768.5-768.9 | 1.4888 |
| - # Respiratory distress of newborn | P22 | 769 | 0.9237 |
| - Other respiratory conditions originating in the perinatal period | P23-P28 | 770 | 0.8698 |
| # Congenital pneumonia | P23 | 770.0 | 3.8750 |
| # Neonatal aspiration syndromes | P24 | 770.1 | 1.4268 |
| # Interstitial emphysema and related conditions originating in the perinatal period | P25 | 770.2 | 1.5031 |
| # Pulmonary hemorrhage originating in the perinatal period | P26 | 770.3 | 1.5333 |
| # Chronic respiratory disease originating in the perinatal period | P27 | 770.7 | 1.1329 |
| # Atelectasis | P28.0-P28.1 | 770.4-770.5 | 2.2231 |
| All other respiratory conditions originating in the perinatal period | P28.2-P28.9 | 770.6-770.8 | 0.1044 |
| - Infections specific to the perinatal period | P35-P39 | 771.0-771.2, 771.4-771.8 | 1.1451 |
| # Bacterial sepsis of newborn | P36 | 771.8 | 0.9853 |
| # Omphalitis of newborn with or without mild hemorrhage | P38 | 771.4 | NA |
| All other infections specific to the perinatal period | P35, P37, P39 | 771.0-771.2, 771.5-771.7 | 2.7761 |
| - Hemorrhagic and hematological disorders of newborn | P50-P61 | 772-774, 776 | 1.3316 |
| # Neonatal hemorrhage | P50-P52, P54 | 772 | 1.3087 |
| # Hemorrhagic disease of newborn | P53 | 776.0 | NA |
| # Hemolytic disease of newborn due to isoimmunization and other perinatal jaundice | P55-P59 | 773-774 | 0.6957 |
| # Hematological disorders | P60-P61 | 776.1-776.9 | 1.6984 |
| # Syndrome of infant of a diabetic mother and neonatal diabetes mellitus | P70.0-P70.2 | 775.0-775.1 | NA |
| - # Necrotizing enterocolitis of newborn | P77 | 777.5 | 1.1935 |

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| - # Hydrops fetalis not due to hemolytic disease | P83.2 | 778.0 | 1.0397 |
| - Other perinatal conditions | P29, P70.3-P76, P78-P81, P83.0-P83.1, P83.3-P96 | 775.2-775.9, 777.0-777.4, 777.6- 777.9, 778.1-779 | 1.2033 |
| # Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities | Q00-Q99 | 740-759 | 0.9280 |
| - Anencephaly and similar malformations | Q00 | 740 | 1.0029 |
| - Congenital hydrocephalus | Q03 | 742.3 | 0.6621 |
| - Spina bifida | Q05 | 741 | 0.8254 |
| - Other congenital malformations of nervous system | Q01-Q02, Q04, Q06-Q07 | 742.0-742.2, 742.4-742.9 | 1.0909 |
| - Congenital malformations of heart | Q20-Q24 | 745-746 | 1.0136 |
| - Other congenital malformations of circulatory system | Q25-Q28 | 747 | 0.6801 |
| - Congenital malformations of respiratory system | Q30-Q34 | 748 | 0.6751 |
| - Congenital malformations of digestive system | Q35-Q45 | 749-751 | 0.8354 |
| - Congenital malformations of genitourinary system | Q50-Q64 | 752-753 | 0.9910 |
| Congenital malformations and deformations of musculoskeletal system, limbs and integument | Q65-Q85 | 754-757 | 0.9580 |
| - Down's syndrome | Q90 | 758.0 | 0.9811 |
| - Edward's syndrome | Q91.0-Q91.3 | 758.2 | 1.0055 |
| - Patau's syndrome | Q91.4-Q91.7 | 758.1 | 0.9549 |
| - Other congenital malformations and deformations | Q10-Q18, Q86-Q89 | 743-744, 759 | 0.9794 |
| - Other chromosomal abnormalities, not elsewhere classified | Q92-Q99 | 758.3-758.9 | 1.2030 |
| Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified | R00-R99 | 780-799 | 1.0213 |
| - # Sudden infant death syndrome | R95 | 798.0 | 1.0570 |
| Other symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified | R00-R53, R55-R94, R96-R99 | 780-796, 798.1-799 | 0.8974 |
| All other diseases | F01-F99, H00-H57, L00-M99 | 290-319, 360-379, 680-739 | 1.1905 |

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| External causes of mortality | U01, V01-Y84 | E800-E999 | 0.9981 |
| - # Accidents (unintentional injuries) | V01-X59 | E800-E869, E880-E929 | 1.0229 |
| Transport accidents | V01-V99 | E800-E848, E920-E929.1 | 1.0186 |
| Motor vehicle accidents | See Footnote 2 | E810-E825 | 0.9766 |
| Other and unspecified transport accidents | See Footnote 3 | E800-E807, E826-E848, E929.0-E929.1 | NA |
| Falls | W00-W19 | E880-E888 | NA |
| Accidental discharge of firearms | W32-W34 | E922 | NA |
| Accidental drowning and submersion | W65-W74 | E910 | 1.0175 |
| Accidental suffocation and strangulation in bed | W75 | E913.0 | 1.1231 |
| Other accidental suffocation and strangulation | W76-W77, W81-W84 | E913.1-E913.9 | 0.8607 |
| Accidental inhalation and ingestion of food or other objects causing obstruction of respiratory tract | W78-W80 | E911-E912 | 1.1385 |
| Accidents caused by exposure to smoke, fire and flames | X00-X09 | E890-E899 | 0.9811 |
| Accidental poisoning and exposure to noxious substances | X40-X49 | E850-E869, E924.1 | NA |
| Other and unspecified accidents | W20-W31, W35-W64, W85-W99, X10- X39, X50-X59 | E900-E909, E914-E921, E923-E924.0, E924.8-E929 | 1.0270 |
| - # Assault (homicide) | U01, X85-Y09, Y87.1 | E960-E969 | 1.0000 |
| Assault (homicide) by hanging, strangulation and suffocation | X91 | E963 | 1.1667 |
| Assault (homicide) by discharge of firearms | U01.4, X93-X95 | E965.0-E965.4 | NA |
| Neglect, abandonment and other maltreatment syndromes | Y06-Y07 | E967, E968.4 | 0.9554 |
| Assault (homicide) by other and unspecified means | U01.0-U01.3, U01.5-U01.9, X85-X90, X92, X96-X99, Y00-Y05, Y08-Y09 | E960-E962, E964, E965.5-E966, E968.0-E968.3, E968.8-E968.9 | 1.0067 |
| - # Complications of medical and surgical care | Y40-Y84 | E870-E879, E930-E949 | NA |
| - Other external causes | X60-X84, Y10-Y36 | E970-E979 | 0.8947 |

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^{2.} ICD-10 codes - Motor vehicle accidents: V02-V04, V09.0, V09.2, V12-V14, V19.0-V19.2, V19.4-V19.6, V20-V79, V80.3-V80.5, V81.0-V81.1, V82.0-V82.1, V83-V86, V87.0-V87.8, V88.0-V88.8, V89.0, V89.2.

^{3.} ICD-10 codes - Other and unspecified transport accidents: V01, V05-V06, V09.1, V09.3-V09.9, V10-V11, V15-V18, V19.3, V19.8, V19.9, V80.0-V80.2, V80.6-V80.9, V81.2-V81.9, V82.2-V82.9, V87.9, V88.9, V89.1, V89.3, V89.9, V90-V99.

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